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For: LIGHT-EMITTING DEVICE USING GROUP III NITRIDE GROUP COMPOUND
SEMICONDUCTOR AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING IT

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 CFR §1.97 through §1.99 and pursuant to Applicants' duty of disclosure under 37 CFR §1.56, Applicant respectfully brings the following documents listed on the attached form PTO-1449, to the attention of the Examiner in charge of the above-identified application. A copy of the listed document (which was cited in an Office Action dated September 17, 2004 in U.S. Patent Application Number 10/375,135 which claims priority from the present Application) is provided herewith for the convenience of the Examiner. Further, an English-language Abstract is attached to the reference.

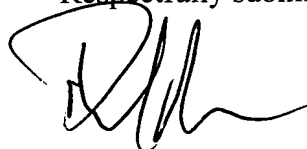
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It is respectfully requested that the listed references be considered by the Examiner and formally made of record in this application.

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